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NORTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

FARGO, N.D. October 25, 2021 - For the week ending October 24, 2021, there were 5.4 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 18% very short, 26% short, 52% adequate, and 4% surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 33% very short, 31% short, 34% adequate, and 2% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Soybeans harvested was 91%, behind 96% last year, but ahead of 74% for the five-year average.

Winter wheat condition rated 15% very poor, 31% poor, 36% fair, 17% good, and 1% excellent. Winter wheat emerged was 90%, equal to last year, and ahead of 83% average.

Corn condition rated 17% very poor, 30% poor, 37% fair, 16% good, and 0% excellent. Corn harvested was 55%, behind 70% last year, but well ahead of 33% average.

Sugarbeet condition rated 1% very poor, 5% poor, 27% fair, 50% good, and 17% excellent. Sugarbeets harvested was 68%, well behind 99% last year, and behind 85% average.

Sunflower condition rated 8% very poor, 36% poor, 33% fair, 21% good, and 2% excellent. Sunflowers bracts turned brown was 98%, near 97% both last year and average. Harvested was 37%, behind 56% last year, but near 36% average.

Potatoes harvested was 90%, behind 100% last year, and equal to average.

Dry edible beans harvested was 93%, behind 100% last year, but near 91% average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 47% very poor, 26% poor, 22% fair, 5% good, and 0% excellent.

Stock water supplies rated 38% very short, 41% short, 21% adequate, and 0% surplus.

Data for this news release were provided at the county level by USDA Farm Service Agency, NDSU Extension Service, and other reporters across the State.

Access the National Crop Progress and Condition publication at:

<https://usda.library.cornell.edu/concern/publications/8336h188j>

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